

The County Paper.

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THIRTY-NINTH YEAR, No. 41

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS REDUCES ASSESSMENTS AND TAX LEVY FOR 1930

Tax Levy Inside Municipalities Reduced 1 Mill—In country Reduction is 2½ Mills and 1½ Taken Off School Levy—Drastic Reduction.

**Will Conduct Revival
At Methodist Church
Beginning October 18**



Credit to Supt. of Education..

REV. DR. HAROLD LELAND
MARTIN.

REVIVAL
AT FIRST
METHODIST

**Church With Baptists Beginning Monday, October 20;
Dr. H. L. Martin Conducting**

A union revival of both Methodist and Baptist churches of Bay St. Louis at the First Methodist church for a period of ten days beginning Monday, October 20 is announced.
Rev. Dr. Harold Leland Martin.

well-known pastor of the Baptist church at Lexington, Miss., and known over the South for his learning and eloquence, will be the revivalist and it is expected not only will he hearers pack the church from this side of the bay, but many will journey nightly from the other side of the coast to hear this splendid speaker and to participate in the spirit of the revival.

Rev. W. S. Allen, local Baptist pastor, and Rev. C. C. Clarks, pastor of the local Methodist church, will be in charge, assisted by a special committee from each church. From the Methodist Dr. Jas. A. Evans, Charles Mitchell and Mrs. C. M. Shipp and from the Baptist, Dr. Alvah P. Smith, Fred A. Wright and Dr. W. S. Speer, representing the respective committees.

Mrs. C. C. Clark, pianist, will be assisted by Mrs. James Sylvester and her musicians of both churches. Singing will be led each evening by W. F. Farmer, of Kiln Consolidated High School.

The public, irrespective of creed, is cordially invited to hear the distinguished speaker and to bring friends. The services are public and the series of preachments will be well worthy time and attention.

EPISCOPAL COAST MEET PLANNED

Coast Convocation To Be
Held At Biloxi, Oct. 20-
21—Rev. R. E. Grubb
To Speak.

The Gulf Coast convocation of the Episcopal churches, of which the Rev. A. De Miller of the Church of the Redeemer of Biloxi is dean, and Miss Jessie Perry, president of the coast council, will be held at St. Peter's church, Gulfport, October 20 and 21.

The speaker of the convocation will be Bishop Theodore D. Rose of the diocese of Mississippi. His subject will be, "The Needs of the Diocese." Other speakers will include Bishop William Mercer of the diocese of the Holyoke, the Very Rev. J. Clark, New York; the Very Rev. Eugene Cordell, Mrs. Mary White, Mount, Los Angeles; Mrs. J. A. Yerger, Gilchrist, Miss Maud Kimball, Mobile; Dr. Franklin

Walker Wood, Secretary of State, and Newspaper publisher of Wetumpka, owner of the Weekly Times, and Mrs. H. A. Pattison, manager of the headquarters of the Mississippi State Press Association, at Jackson, addressed the Mississippi Coast Press Club at the monthly banquet and meeting at the Buena Vista hotel, at Biloxi, Monday night.

Mr. Wood mentioned the objects and aims of the press associations of office in Jackson and of its original organization to fight the state printing plant. He said he hoped its outcome would lead to the hiring of a field secretary for the newspapers of the state.

Mrs. Pattison mentioned the free space fight of the office and ask that the co-operation of all daily and weekly papers in the state to eliminate the publicity "pest."

Legal Ads and Collection.
A principal subject discussed was legal advertisements and collection of same from attorneys and clerks of courts. This matter was one of serious import and came in for considerable discussions and sharp criticism of the delinquency, claiming that newspapers sustained too great a loss in legal advertising.

Clayton Rand of the Gulfport Guide was another of the principal speakers and told of the recent National Editorial Association meet at Milwaukee and the value of a State newspaper.

Chas. G. Moreau of the Sea Coast coach, Bay St. Louis, reviewed the success of the Gulf Coast Press Club and the good work it was doing in assisting to further develop the Gulf coast State and discussed the race space grafter that was becoming a national menace. He placed Pass Christian in nomination for the next meeting, which was carried; to be held at the Miramar Hotel on the

Among those present were noted, Brumfield, who presided; Ralph Brash, Gulfport; Eugene and Walter Wilkes, Chas. G. Moreau, John Amborino, John Laird, capitol engineer; Walker Wood, Clayton Rand, Mark Fourey, Miss Mary Lena Fenness, Mrs. Pattison, Ed Lipscomb, Miss Cora Langley, F. E. Lee, W. L. Marks, Cosman Eisendrath, O. E. Si-

Mark, the Rev. R. E. Grubb, Bay St. Louis; the Rev. H. N. Aldrich, Pass Christian; the Rev. R. E. Emerson, Gulfport; the Rev. J. Beean, Passa-
cula; the Rev. F. G. Coombs, Mis-
sissippi City and the Rev. Mr. De Mil-
lity.

STANISLAUS COLLEGE ECHOES

News Notes of Personal and General Interest In And Around Class Room And Campus

The Newspapers staff apologizes to fellow classmen for a typographical error in last week's Echo. In an editorial on Grippers and Soreheads a sentence read, "The graduates are always kicking." The word "few" had been omitted in the printing of the story. It should have read, "A few of the graduates are always kicking."

The following students are responsible for this week's notes:

Sam Ballard, Alfred Purple, Floyd Johnson, Robert Camors, Henry Gasque, The Staff, Lawrence Vallon, Theodore Casner, L. Petrich, Phil Jacobs.

MERIT CALL

It comes on Monday morning and it is a notification to the students in forming them of their weekly standing. Many take note, and some are proud and some are disappointed. The fortunate, their blood runs warm again after their grades are called out. Some get praises and applause, smiles and happiness, but the poor unfortunate mutts receive only a good bawling out and a permit to report to the vice-president's office after school so as to prepare for the following day's recitations.

Everyone has his weak moments—and the Stanislaus student's comes on Monday Morn.

Everyone of the Grads is hard at work under an operation about two weeks ago. Brother Peter will be back to resume his work as president of St. Stanislaus College Friday, October 10th. It has been a terrible strain on Brother William having to teach school and take care of the president's business. The whole school will be glad to see Brother Peter back, for they will then know that he is well. It will be a pleasure to have Brother Peter here to see the opening game of the season Sunday.

THE SENIOR CLASS

Everyone of the Grads is hard at work trying to do his share of work, to the best of his ability. Our honorable teachers realize that they have a group of hustling young gentlemen who are ready to do their part at any and all times. It is the position of this writer that such splendid coordination between teacher and pupils is rarely exhibited.

During the past week the Commercial boys have been occupied in unravelling the mysteries of book-keeping, and by one our Law class will be writing a famous opinion.

The Scientist as yet have not met Caesar but they hope to have the pleasure soon.

A TALK GIVEN BY

BY BRO. WILLIAM. During our regular nine-thirty lecture period on Thursday morning Brother William gave us a talk concerning the "Right Side" which means that there is a right side and a wrong side to all our actions. Success lies in choosing the right side.

He illustrated this to us by the parable of the fishermen, "these same fishermen who later became the apostles of Our Lord." Who after having fished all night and had caught nothing were told by Our Lord to cast their nets on the right side and on doing so caught more fish than the boats were capable of holding.

During the talk, he also brought out a beautiful tribute to the one person in the world whom we should honor and love more than anyone else—Our Mother.

Test week, which marks the completion of our first month in school, is here. We have either taken advantage of the teaching given us in this period, or we have not.

If we have not, the only means through which we possibly could have gone this far is by copying.

It is easy to fool the teacher by copying work every day, but it will be more difficult to copy on examination. In copying we fool nobody but ourselves for the teacher gives his examination on the work we are supposed to have done. If we have merely copied somebody else's work and know nothing it is about, we are the ones who are fooled when the test comes.

Because a boy does not make brilliant grades in his tests, it does not necessarily follow that he is a copy. He may be trying his best to do his work on his own merits, and still made a grade below the pass mark, owing to lack of talent. But this boy is to be praised and respected far more than the lad who made a grade of one hundred per cent by copying.

More often it is the case, however, that the studious boy, although he has neither the talent nor the intelligence of the genius makes a higher mark than the genius. This is because he does his work day by day without once giving in to the easy method of copying. In consequence he is rewarded in the end.

Therefore during the coming month, let's do our work honestly and perseveringly always remembering that we will be rewarded in the end.

SODALITY

The meeting of October 4th was conducted by Brother Edmund entirely, to show the officers a new trick or two in parliamentary rule.

Secretary Lacour read the minutes of the meeting antecedent to this one. The minutes were moved upon and seconded.

Jack Horne, whose suggestions and remarks kept the meetings moving at a fast rate, demanded that the Mission Boxes be set up. Brother Edmund came back with a chilling veto.

Brother Edmund made an interesting announcement. It seems that

the Mission and Eucharistic Committees will take charge of the meeting next Saturday. Great things are expected of them.

The ever-ready Mister Horne moved upon the advisability of having a boy belong to only one committee. Gasque suggested that the matter concerned the boy. Brother Edmund spoke in favor of the later and there the matter rests.

Sleeping at Mass was declared taboo by all the wide awake Socialists at the meeting. Robert Camors announced, very tentatively, his Queen's Work and Roving committees.

James Dam made a very good suggestion about the tin foil which is saved annually by the Sodality. His remark that it was high time to commence this class of activity was favorably received.

Mister Horne moved that the meeting be adjourned and his move was seconded.

The Parliamentary rules were successful in living things up. Congratulations to Brother Edmund.

Next week, Oct. 11, the Mission Committee and the Eucharistic Committee will have charge of the Sodality meeting.

The chairman of the Mission Committee promises to have three or four good speeches by his committeemen.

These short talks will be about the missions, also on a few rules of the Sodality.

The Eucharistic Committee also promises a few short talks at this meeting; it will be very interesting.

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SPORTS AT STANISLAUS

Brother Vincent's third team displayed their calibre Sunday afternoon by touching McGill of Mobile to a 12 to 2 defeat. The contest was well fought from the beginning but near the finish the Baby Rocks scored their first touch-down with Vallon scoring. The try for the extra point was missed. The second touch-down was scored when Artigues intercepted a pass from the McGill quarter and ran some forty yards to cross the line. Again the try for the extra point was not successful, but the Rocks were not discouraged. They marched back down the field to kick-off and were fighting as hard as ever to gain possession of the ball again when the final whistle was blown. We are all proud of our third team and want to congratulate them on their victory and wish them luck in all their games, nevertheless, we are backing them in defeat as well as in their victories.

The Varsity Rock-A-Chaws are working hard under the direction of Coach Perkins and also under the leadership of their captain, Vallie Gremillion. So we all join in congratulating them on their victory and wish them luck in all their games, nevertheless, we are backing them in defeat as well as in their victories.

The Junior Rocks are making rapid progress towards a strong team under the direction of their coaches, Bros. Conrad and Leonard. They have been learning how to overcome the difficulties of foot-ball and they prove to be well educated in fundamentals. Although they are much smaller than any Junior team in the past, they have the "stuff" and are waiting for their first game to prove it to the public, but at present they are displaying it in practice each day.

The Opening of the Football Season. The football season was opened Sunday at the College, between the McGill High School team of Mobile, Ala., and the Stanislaus Third team.

The day was an ideal day for foot-ball, and the game was enjoyed by everyone, mainly, because of the comparison of both teams, which were about even in both weight and size. The College team showed great strength in being able to take the ball from one goal to another, but lacked punch enough to put it over. This being the first game of the season for this team which is composed of many new men, was kind of slow. The McGill team although not as experienced as the third team, showed a strong and plucky little team.

The varsity which has been getting ready for their season which begins Sunday, seems to be in fine shape and raring to go. Their first opponent will be the Catholic High of Baton Rouge, La., a pretty strong team, and the game will prove interesting and will show what material is available for the coming season.

and who stayed to witness our first game of the season.

A member of last year's sophomore class dropped over Sunday, but didn't tarry long. Guess he got a little home-sick and had to see the old Alma Mater again.

St. Stanislaus College is known for three outstanding characteristics. Namely: Sincerity, Sportsmanship and Courtesy.

Our school is one of which we can and should be proud to tell anyone that we are one of its students. We who are lucky enough to be here should maintain Stanislaus' seventy eight years of Sincerity, Sportsmanship and Courtesy.

We should be sincere in our application to work and play. Many of us do not realize that our parents are making sacrifices in order to enable us to reap some of the benefits which are afforded us at such an institution as this. Therefore, let us resolve to keep up the envied record of the alumni in their sincerity.

Sportsmanship is an important element stressed at our school. If we are lucky enough to represent Stanislaus on some athletic team, let us strive to be a true representative of her. Any team can be jubilant after victory, but how many teams can accept a defeat in a good sportsmanlike manner?

Courtesy is a characteristic for which Stanislaus is famous. The genuine friendship between the boys and their attitude to former students and visitors is something of which we can really boast. This is fully illustrated on "Dad's Day" and "Alumni Day" which occur yearly at our school. We should strive to keep up the wonderful work of our predecessors and prove that we too, are loyal sons of Stanislaus.

The Altar Boy Society held its first meeting at which Father Fahy presided. At this meeting he told of some interesting things which an altar boy should know. His aim is to have the altar boys to go with the Chapel.

This week will tell how many of us study, as our monthly test will begin Tuesday, here's hoping the best to the lads.

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ALLOWANCES OF CITY COMMITTEES, BAY ST. LOUIS

The following bills were allowed, approved and ordered paid out of the following funds:

CITY FUND:

Chas. Traub, Sr., mayor's sal. 225.00
T. H. Egloff, Com. salary 225.00
S. J. Ladner, Com. salary 225.00
Felix Payard, Janitor salary 60.00
Aug. Taconi, St. Foreman sal. 125.00
E. L. Gean, City ator salary 100.00
Julius Webb, Pond keeper 60.00
Edward Jones, Stenographer salary 25.00
Aline Saucier, Police salary 110.00
Leon P. Capdepon, Police sal. 110.00
Eugene Joyner, Fireman's sal. 90.00
Theo. Tudury, Fireman's sal. 90.00
Timothy Ladner, labor at cemetery 25.00
James O. Jones, Auditor's salary 75.00
F. H. Egloff, Payment for one revolving counter stool 6.39
Ed. Osbourne, extra work on courthouse 26.60
Weston Sand & Gravel Co., shells 346.03
Geo. D. Barnard, Mdse. 35.50
Mississippi Stationery Co., mdse 15.27
New Orleans Tractor Co., tractor and grader, paid in advance 2060.00
W. T. Witter, signs 2060.00
Electric Appliance Co., mdse. 21.58
New Orleans Tractor Co., mdse. 1.60
S. D. Toomer Hdwe. Co., Siding and Finishing floors at City Hall as per contract 118.50
William D. Hays, Laying pipe head of Carroll ave and two catch basins 47.95
Aetna Life Ins. Co., Ins. premium 12.21
Joseph Capdepon, labor 67.50
Roger Manieri, labor 67.50
Edward Prevean, labor 69.00
Philip Adam, labor 69.00
John Carver, labor 4.00
Aug. Taconi, Boarding pris. 9.25
Albert Hitts, Repairing of signal light 5.00
Chas. Gehlbach, labor 18.00
Maurice Johnson, labor 4.55
Andrew Carver, Repairs 15.70
J. H. Egloff, Payment Rep. typewriter and stamps 17.90
A. Scalfie & Co., mdse. 18.83
The Bay Merc. Co., mdse. 24.57
Dement Printing Co., mdse. 28.21
The Sea Coast Echo, pub and printing 62.75
F. H. Egloff, Payment of fgt. Jessie Coward, labor 14.50
Bay Ice & Botl. Co., ice book 6.00
A. Scalfie & Co., mdse. 7.60
C. C. McDonald, mdse. 185.70
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone 11.78
Standard Oil Co., Oil and gas for truck 51.87
Schindler Garage, Repair 11.95
Jos. O. Mauffray, mdse. 15.20
Thomas Damborino, labor 1.50
Lighting Fixture Supply Co., mdse. 56.85
W. E. Witter, signs City limits 35.00
Harrison Service Station, mdse. 43.75
Jos. L. Favre, Repairs side-walk Hancock Front Sec. street as per contract 45.00
Edward Heilmann, labor 456.66
Miss. Power Co., str. lights 70.54
Bay Plumbing Co., mdse. 3.00
Chamber of Commerce, advertisement 125.00

SCHOOL FUND:

D. J. Everett, Pro rata salary City School 25.00
Flora Capdepon, Janitor's salary 75.00
Mrs. H. Y. Bourgeois, Janitor's salary 10.00
Mrs. A. J. Carver, Janitor's salary 18.00
Sam Burke, Janitor's Salary 10.00
James Taconi, Workman and Foreman's salary 50.00
S. J. Ingram, paid labor cleaning school ground 21.65
William D. Hays, labor 1.50
Chas. Gehlbach, labor 5.25
Jas. J. Graves, labor 5.00
Sherman Falls, labor 5.60
Elizabeth B. labor 6.40
A. W. Moore, Repairs at sch. 37.49
Southern Asso. of Colleges, secondary school 10.00
Milton Bradley Co., mdse. 12.43
The Educational Supply Co., mdse. 12.91
Universal Laboratories, mdse. 10.00
W. A. McDonald & Son, mdse. 7.20
C. C. McDonald, mdse. 1.93
Southern Seating Co., mdse. 20.00
Will Hobbs, labor and material Central sch. as per bid 67.50
The Bay Merc. Co., mdse. 41.49
A. G. Favre, recording lease from Rivier L. Co. 2.60
Bay Ice & Botl. Wks. coal 47.50
The Sea Coast Echo, pub and printing 15.62
Andrew Carver, labor 3.80
Bay Cash Grocery, mdse. 6.43
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone 3.25
Mississippi Power Co., Light for school 16.29
Julia Blaise, Teacher's sal. 115.00
Miss Lovenia Saucier, Teacher's salary 100.00
Mrs. E. E. Ashcraft, Teacher's salary 100.00
Miss Virginia Chapman, Teacher's salary 75.00
Miss C. Spoto, Teacher's salary 90.00
Miss V. Berry, Teacher's salary 90.00
Mrs. W. W. Stockstill, Teacher's salary 100.00
S. J. Ingram, Supt. salary 300.00
M. A. Phillips, Teacher's sal. 123.00
Edward Mauffray, Teacher's salary 138.00
Mae L. Renard, Teacher's salary 138.00
Bessie Givens, Teacher's sal. 135.00
Rachel Tarver, Teacher's sal. 135.00
Ruth Porter, Teacher's sal. 125.00
Lois Quinn, Teacher's sal. 125.00
Oleah Mauffray, Teacher's salary 115.00
Helen Vaughan, Teacher's salary 100.00
Lydia Boyd Blount, Teacher's salary 100.00
Mrs. A. L. Porter, Teacher's salary 87.50
Mrs. A. L. Wright, Teacher's salary 100.00
J. Pollard, Teacher's sal. 100.00
M. L. Brown, Teacher's sal. 60.00
B. J. Leneaux, Teacher's sal. 50.00

A & G Theater

Thursday & Friday, Oct. 9-10. JOHN McCORMACK in "SONG O' MY HEART." And Comedy.

Saturday, October 11th. GEORGE O'BRIEN in "THE LAST OF THE DUANES" And comedy.

Sunday & Monday, Oct. 12-13. KEN MURRAY, IRENE DUNNE, NED SPARKS and BENNY RUBIN in "LEATHERNECKING" Fox News and Cartoon.

Tuesday & Wednesday, Oct. 14-15. ELLIOT NUGENT, JACK MULLHALL and SALLY STARR in "FOR THE LOVE O' LIL" And comedy.

Thursday, October 16th. RICHARD BARTELMLESS in "THE DAWN PATROL"

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

FOR THE SOUTHERN DIVISION OF THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

In the matter of Leonard Fredrick, trading as Wolf River Lumber Co. Bankrupt.

No.

JONES COUNTY TO PROCEED WITH ITS PAVING PROGRAM

Sells \$200,000 Worth of Bonds, Gets \$200,000 More From Federal Highway Fund.

Bonds in the sum of \$200,000 have been sold by the board of supervisors of Jones county to Sanders and Thomas of Memphis and to the United and Planters Bank of Memphis. The \$200,000 will be duplicated from federal funds.

The bonds, which are a part of the original \$750,000 issue voted two years ago for the hard-surfacing of the section of Jackson highway from the northern city limits of Laurel to the Forrest County line, were sold at par and brought a premium of \$850.

This clears up one additional step in the county's hard-surfacing program which calls for nearly 40 miles of paving.

COOLIDGES OBSERVE SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Former President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge observed their silver wedding anniversary Saturday with characteristic simplicity.

No plans for a formal celebration had been made. It had been reported that their son, John and his wife, the former Florence Trumbull, might come to Northampton from New Haven, Conn., to spend the day, but Herman C. Beatty, secretary to Mr. Coolidge, said they were not expected.

Some time this week Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge expect to start by auto for Boston, where they will attend the national convention of the American Legion next week.

EXPLANATION.

"Pardon me, sir," Mrs. Portly addressed a fellow train passenger, but would you mind assisting me off at the next stop? You see, I am very large, and when I get off I have to go backward, so the conductor thinks I am trying to get aboard and helps me on again. He has done this the last three times I've tried to get off."

—Pathfinder.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

September 30, 1930.

The Honorable Mayor and Commissioners, City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to engagement I hand you herewith following the Annual Statement of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1930.

The books and records of the city were found to be kept in a commendable manner, correct and in order. All receipts and disbursements for the period under review appear to have been carefully and properly accounted for. The expenditures were found to be in accordance with the budget made by the Board for the fiscal year, and the cash position of the city has improved \$11,345.76 during the period.

The financial affairs of the city appear to have been administered during the past year on an efficient and economical basis.

Yours very truly,

JAMES O. JONES, Public Accountant.

CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI. RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1930.

Balances in the various fund accounts as at October 1, 1929	30,274.64	Receipts for the period	203,227.18	Disbursements for the period	161,006.70	Balances Sept. 30, 1930	41,620.48
Balances in the various fund accounts, September 30, 1930	41,620.48	City Fund	9,614.35	School Fund	359.74	Water Works Fund	14,609.88
Sinking Bond Fund	15,039.75	Special Improvement Bond Fund	1,572.28	Colored School Fund	424.48	Total	41,620.48
RECEIPTS	86,367.46	Tax Collections	86,367.46	Damages on Taxes	364.17	Redemptions	276.86
License Collections	4,233.52	Fines	779.20	Water Rent	10,404.47	State and Federal School Funds	5,569.84
Poll Tax, Hancock County	1,066.90	Tuition	1,000.00	Advocates Tax from Hancock County	20,146.17	Hancock County for Seawall Bonds and Interest	20,250.00
Interest on Daily Balances	686.42	Meat Inspection	46.60	Impounding Fees	86.00	Cutting Weeds	32.18
House numbers	75.00	Refund City suit	3.50	Advertising city property	10.40	Refund school lights	4.40
Notes Payable	21,500.00	Total Receipts	172,952.54	DISBURSEMENTS	122,128.00	Salaries	6,438.14
Labor	5,678.22	Materials and Supplies	1,208.55	Repairs	1,869.78	Stationery and Printing	135.21
Fire Insurance	157.77	Telephone	87.91	Postage	47.82	Bond Premiums	135.97
Boarding Prisoners	94.75	Street Lights	7,982.58	Land	15.20	Recording deeds	250.00
Engineer—Spanish Acres Code	25.40	City Sidewalk 10 per cent State Tax Collector, Damages	60.00	Notes Payable	13,000.00	Interest on Notes	257.67
Grand Total Disbursements	161,006.70						

BOND STATEMENT September 30, 1930.

Bonds	Total Issued	Total Retired	Now Outstanding
Seawall, 1920	100,000.00	56,000.00	44,000.00
Seawall, 1922	78,000.00	42,000.00	36,000.00
Water Works, 1922	35,000.00	24,000.00	11,000.00
Water Works, 1922	58,000.00	3,000.00	55,000.00
Central School, 1926	67,000.00	29,000.00	38,000.00
Sidewalk, 1927	28,000.00	8,000.00	20,000.00
Sidewalk, 1928	12,000.00	3,000.00	9,000.00
Bonds outstanding October 1, 1929	378,000.00	171,000.00	207,000.00
Bonds Issued—None			
Bonds Retired—Seawall, 1920		5,000.00	
Seawall, 1922		7,000.00	
Water Works, 1922		3,000.00	
Water Works, 1922		2,000.00	
Central School, 1926		8,000.00	
Sidewalk, 1927		8,000.00	
Sidewalk, 1928		1,000.00	
Total Retired		32,000.00	
Bonds now outstanding			207,000.00

WORK AND PLAY AT S. J. A.

SODALITY NEWS.

Children of Mary.

The Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary held its first meeting of the year on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 2.

When all the Sodality members assembled the teacher in charge of the Sodality, called the meeting to order and stated that the election of officers was to be the chief business of the meeting.

After being reminded of the qualities that should characterize the leaders of a Sodality the girls cast their votes. The officers chosen are as follows: President—Joan Mauffray; Secretary—Marie Quintini; Treasurer, Julie Boudin.

THE ST. AGNES SODALITY.

The St. Agnes Sodality went to Holy Communion in a body at the seven-thirty o'clock Mass last Friday. This Sodality will meet in the course of the next few days to elect its officers and to make plans for the current year.

HOLY ANGELS SODALITY.

The Holy Angels Sodality is composed of the children of the First, Second, Third and Fourth grades; although its members are the youngest in the school this Sodality is by no means the least active at S. J. A.

The Sodality organized for the current year at an interesting meeting held in the Annex at 11:30 on Friday morning, October 4. After an interesting talk by the directress the children elected their officers with the following results: Margery Scaife, president; Mercedes Fayard, vice-president; Dorothy Hammer treasurer; Violet Arceneaux, secretary.

It was decided that the meetings of the Sodality would take place on the day preceding the second Tuesday of each month, which is the day set for the monthly communions of the sodality. The children went to communion in a body last Thursday, as it was their patron's feast day—the feast of the Holy Angels. The children sang hymns and recited prayers throughout the Mass.

RELIGION CONTEST

First Room Against Second Room.

You have heard of "field meets" and "athletic meets" but the "Religion Meet" is a new thing. This one will be a "Religion Meet" and is to be held on Friday, October 10. The First room girls are to compete against the Second room in this contest. Melodia Nix was the First room's choice for captain while Evelyn Nix was chosen by the Second room. The fact that the two captains are sisters is bound to add an extra zest to the contest which is to be conducted like an old-time spelling match.

Our Pastor, the Reverend Father Gmelch, and his assistants will be invited as judges of the contest. The event is and is causing much excitement at S. J. A.

"BRICKS" FOR THE GYM.

During the summer a personal letter was sent to all the former pupils of St. Joseph's Academy asking them to help in the erection of the St. Joseph Memorial.

The appeal was most generously responded to and contributions for bricks are still coming in. Next week we will publish the names of the donors whose generosity is making possible the construction of our new gym.

SENIORS AND JUNIORS ANXIOUSLY AWAIT THEIR CLASS EMBLEMS.

An agent from Hausman's visited St. Joseph's Academy two Fridays past and such excitement as that visit did cause. For several days previous both Senior and Junior classes had used every available free minute to pore over catalogues of rings and pins. Imagine twelve or more girls trying to look at one illustration of a ring or pin at the same time, and you will know just what resulted. No definite agreement could be arrived at in either class so it was decided to await the agent's arrival to see what he had to offer. And such a session it proved to be. After a half hour's discussion and debate the Seniors finally decided on a ring which of course in their opinion is the prettiest class ring ever seen at S. J. A.

The Juniors had a yet harder time in coming to a decision.

Six of the Jolly Juniors were in favor of a delicate ring with four tiny pearls and a '32 suspended from a likewise delicate chain. These Juniors already visualized that diminutive pin adorning fluffy evening gowns and other fragile dresses. But Alas! the seven Jollier Juniors looked dreamily at the other pin, visioned a tweed coat—it possessed service, durability, and class!

The orders were quickly sent in and now each day both Seniors and Juniors anxiously await the Postman's arrival to know if the cherished rings and pins have arrived.

ATHLETICS.

An event towards which we have long looked forward, has at length occurred. A meeting of all the High school girls who are interested in Athletics took place in the second room at 3:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. We were delighted to think that our coach and teacher, Miss Mary Perkins would be with us again. This talk that aroused our enthusiasm and made us realize that every girl present had an equal chance of making the team if she worked hard enough to get there.

Besides we have an added incentive this year. We have to work hard to deserve the "Gym" and to make our team the success that it was last year. We have lost many of our finest

players but we are going to be disappointed by that, and we understand just how much effort we will have to put forth to fill the places of those girls who have left and that of our beloved Helen who was taken out this year with the firm determination of overcoming all our obstacles and of coming out on top in spite of them.

We have not begun active practice yet. The stiffness and soreness of our muscles after these few afternoons of physical exercise have proved to us how much we needed them to limber up before, actual basketball practice which will begin in a week or two.

DISTRIBUTION OF REPORTS.

It didn't take us very long to get back to the routine and discipline of our school work and before we had time to realize it we found that we had actually completed a whole month's work. The tests which came piling in upon us two weeks ago awakened us to the fact.

Reports were given out in the basement of our superior in the presence of the assembled student body.

Monthly, we will print in this column the Honors for each respective month. To receive first honors in the High School a girl must make an average of 85 per cent or more. For second honors the monthly grade must be from 80 per cent to 85 per cent. In the grammar grades first honors are given to the pupil or pupils making the highest average in their class, and second honors to those having the second highest average.

Honors for September.

Seniors: 2nd honors, Cora Sukkamp, Eleanor Attaway. Juniors: 2nd honors, Catherine Bevenly. Sophomores: 1st honors, Evelyn Nix; 2nd honors, Ruth Taher, Joyce Wolf, Frances Scaife. Freshmen: 2nd honors, Alice Camors. Eighth grade: 1st honors, Lorraine Quintini; 2nd honors, Louise Stang. Seventh grade: 1st honors, Nina

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY BANK OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

No. 85-134

Located at Bay St. Louis, in the county of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business September 30, 1930, made to the Superintendent of Banks.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$ 733,200.56
Overdrafts, unsecured	2,067.83
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	4,768.82
Guaranty Fund with State	9,000.00
Treasury	10,000.00
Banking House and Lot	14,672.43
Furniture and Fixtures	10,174.30
Due from other Banks—commercial	604.82
Gold Coin	24,396.00
Exchange and Checks for next day's clearing	2,445.00
Currency	2,427.45
Long Branch Branch	61,380.61
Other items of Resource: viz:	90,000.00
Exempt Surplus Invested	60,000.00
Total	\$1,533,851.82

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	40,000.00
Surplus Fund	120,000.00
Undivided Profits, less amount paid for interest taxes and current expenses	11,370.62
Dividends	4.00
Individual Deposits	30,343.67
Subject to check	51,164.77
Savings Bank	30,927.51
Deposit	2,445.00
Time Certificates of	1,233,621.72
Cashier's Checks	114,855.43
Due Branch Banks	10,000.00
Reserve for accrued taxes	4,000.00
Total	\$1,533,851.82

I, Leo W. Seal, Cashier do solemnly swear that the above is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the Hancock County Bank, located at Bay St. Louis, in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, at the close of business on the 30th day of September, 1930, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest: LEO W. SEAL, Cashier, R. J. LADNER, R. C. ENGLISH, Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

Sworn to and subscribed before me, A. A. Scaife, Notary Public this 6th day of October, 1930.

(SEAL) A. A. SCAIFE, Notary Public, My commission expires March 15, 1932.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas under Chapter 23 of the Laws of 1928 of Mississippi, the State Legislature authorized the Board of Supervisors to levy a two cent tax on gasoline, and a part thereof to be used to pay off the seawall bonds of the City of Bay St. Louis. This law was adopted for the reason that the people of the City of Bay St. Louis have been burdened with the payment of a fact pay over fifty percent (50 per cent) of the gasoline tax of Hancock County, and this law was enacted for the purpose of having the sea wall in the county paid through-out by the gasoline tax, and

Whereas the Board of Supervisors have for the past two or three years made proper provision for payment of ad valorem tax and betterment, tax and

Whereas the people of the City of Bay St. Louis are under the impression that this matter has been settled forever so that they would not be again burdened with the payment of the tax on the city and as these funds have only been paid to the city each year and no provision has been made for the relief of the tax payers of the city for the coming tax paying period, and

Whereas we believe it our duty to notify all tax payers that because of said failure of the city to receive from the Board of Supervisors said money, all of the tax payers in the old sea wall area will again be forced to pay one-tenth of their property taxes in the old sea wall area plus pro rata of the cost of said sea wall plus the interest thereon and all property owners in the City of Bay St. Louis will have to pay a three (3) mill levy on their property to pay these outstanding city sea wall bonds, and

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CHAS. THAYER, Sr., Mayor, R. H. BLOOM, Comm. S. J. A. LADNER, Pub. Util. Comm.

R. W. WEBB PATRONS AND TEACHERS ORGANIZE P. T. A. ASSN.

Patrons and teachers of R. W. Webb School, over in the Fourth Ward, have organized a Parents Teachers' Club and the prospects for an active organization is all to the good.

Following organization officers were elected: Mrs. A. T. Surdich, president; Mrs. E. Boudin vice-president; Mrs. Sterle Sharp, secretary; Mrs. Vannar Berry, treasurer.

The following committees were appointed:

Program: Miss Spotorno and Mrs. Joe Glynn.

Membership: Mrs. Fred Wright, Mrs. Ed Heitzmann, Mrs. Bennie Skelsky.

Hospitality: Mrs. D. J. Everett, Mrs. R. Bermond.

Publicity: Mrs. Fred Wright.

A basket ball court is being erected and seats for the swings being made. This work will be paid for with part of the proceeds realized from the play given by the school last May.

Benedetto, 2nd honors, Eva Zengaring.

Sixth grade: 1st honors, Marjory Suzanneaux; 2nd honors, Mary Benigno.

Fifth grade: 1st honors, Irmabelle Fahey; 2nd honors, Josie Scaife.

Fourth grade: 1st honors, Frances Sindledecker; 2nd honors, Marie Hana.

Third grade: 1st honors, Joyce Spotorno; 2nd honors, Joyce Becker.

TRANSCRIPT OF ORDER

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, HANCOCK COUNTY.

Board of Supervisors, October, 1930.

Be it Remembered, That at the above stated term of the Board of Supervisors of said County, an order was made by said Board, which was in the following words and figures, to-wit:

Whereas it is necessary to borrow money for Hancock County to meet the expenses for the current year, therefore be it resolved that it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of said County to borrow the sum of \$20,000.00 from the Bond and Bridge Fund in anticipation of the taxes for the year of 1930 to defray the expenses of said year, and to issue a negotiable note for the County maturing not later than February 15th, 1931 and bearing interest at the rate of not more than 6 per cent per annum.

The Clerk of this Board will publish a certified copy of this order as required by law, so that the adult tax payers of said County may protest if they desire.

I, A. G. Favre, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing transcript is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the said Board of Supervisors, and entered at their October Term, 1930, on the 8th day of October, 1930, as fully and as completely as the same appears of record in my office in Board of Supervisors' Minute Book M, page 182-183.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Board of Supervisors, at my office in Bay St. Louis, Miss., this 8th day of October, 1930.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO JULIUS SMITH.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the

2ND MONDAY OF JANUARY, 1931, to defend the suit No. 3348 in said Court of Roberts Smith, wherein you are a Defendant.

This the 13th day of September, A. D. 1930.

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MISS. GULF COAST IS PLACE OF RARE CHARM AND BEAUTY AS WHOLE

"Southland," Louisville Publication, Briefly Sketches Famous Stretch of Land Bordering Mississippi State And Gulf Waters.

THE Mississippi Gulf Coast is one of the most attractive playgrounds of the South, and in many respects, about as charming as any in the entire country. It is a health, rest, recreation and sportsman's region, and it has the advantages of many other sections noted as resorts in its appeal to those seeking rest or pleasure, in that it is an all-year, and not merely a seasonal resort district. Its liveliest season, when most visitors are entertained, is in the winter, when large numbers of people are there from the North. It is then that all its hotels are open, when its boarding houses are filled, when the golf grounds appeal to lovers of the game from all parts of the country, and when there are all manner of sports and entertainments to while away the time of the pleasure-seeker. At the same time the quiet man and woman, who are after rest or recuperation, find what they seek there. In the summer time the crowds are somewhat different. While the North is always well represented, especially by the fishermen, most of the visitors are from the Central South, who take the opportunity to spend either a few days or a few weeks where they can find cool breezes and a delightful temperature, or are attracted by the yacht races, the bathing and the fishing. In spring and fall there are always tourists and visitors, though not in such numbers as in winter and summer.

The climate on the Mississippi Gulf Coast is an equable one, extremes of heat or cold seldom known. The air, cooled by breezes from the gulf, or laden with the odor of pine forests to the north, is delightful. Mississippi Sound, which waters are protected from the gulf storms by a series of attractive islands, affords a sheltered place for boating and swimming, and the beach drive along its shore, with a sea wall on one side and miles of beautiful homes and lawns, flowers and a wealth of shrubbery on the other, is a delight to the motorist. Not the least of the attractions which take hundreds of visitors to that section each season are the fishing, in river, bayou and gulf, and the hunting.

The Mississippi Gulf Coast is something more than a delightful resort. There have been other developments of importance there. Early developments were in fishing, lumbering, and agriculture. The great forests which reached back from the coast for a hundred miles or more have, to a large extent, been cut down, so that the saw mills have largely quit operations. Interior mills are still sending to the coast large amounts of timber for export from Gulfport and Pascagoula, and wood using factories survive. Fishing is a great industry. At Biloxi, Pascagoula, Gulfport, Pass Christian, and Bay St. Louis are many plants handling the oysters, fish and shrimp brought in from the nearby waters. The industry gives employment to a small army of men. There are lands suitable for fruit growing, truck raising and general farming, and in the Coastal Region there is a good farm population, mostly on small farms. The fish industries, fruit and other crops, commerce, and the resort business have built along the coast prosperous and beautiful cities and towns.

NATIONAL LEAGUE ADMITS BUILDING AND LOAN GROUP

The Mississippi State League of Local Building and Loan Associations has been admitted to membership in the United States Building and Loan League.

The officers of Mississippi are B. C. Bowen, Gulfport, president; H. T. Leonard, Kosciusko, first vice-president; L. C. Katzenmeyer, Vicksburg, second vice-president; F. G. Cooper, Indianola, third vice-president; S. M. Qui Meridian, fourth vice-president; W. O. Rea, Jackson, secretary; M. M. Swartz, Jackson, treasurer.

Fifty-five building and loan associations belonging to the United States Building and Loan League now have assets exceeding \$10,000,000.

Own Your Home and Garden.

IT IS possible to accomplish this by buying a home on the building and loan plan. You pay us every month like you pay rent. At the end of so many years the house with its garden and beauty belong to you.

Save Money With Us. If you do not care to build or buy a home now, start saving with us. So much aside every month will later serve you in good stead. We pay interest twice a year on our building stock certificates.



Peoples Bldg. & Loan Ass'n

HEAVY SHIPMENTS KEEP FISH PLANTS PASCAGOULA BUSY

Mullet and Shrimp Being Sent to All Parts of the Country, Ask For 30,000 Black Bass.

Heavy shipments of fish have been made from Pascagoula during the past few days, the Scranton Fish Company shipping 10,000 pounds of salt mullet to Alabama and other states. Smaller shipments of choice fish have also been made during the week by this company.

The J. H. Pellham Company reports having shipped approximately 20,000 pounds of raw shrimp the past week to all parts of the country. C. H. Delmas Fish Company also made a good shipment during the past week.

The chamber of commerce sent a request to the United States bureau of fisheries for 25,000 to 30,000 small and large mouth black bass to be stocked into the streams of Jackson county. It is thought that the fish will be sent within the next 60 days.

MAGAZINE EDITOR VICTIM OF DEATH

Richard H. Edmonds, of Manufacturer's Record Succumbs at Home.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 4.—Richard H. Edmonds, founder and editor of the Manufacturer's Record, died at his home Saturday after an illness of several months at the age of 73.

Mr. Edmonds, a native of Norfolk, Va., founded the publication. Devoted to commerce and industry, especially in the South, a half century ago.

BILOXIAN CELEBRATES HER 91ST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. F. Butler, who makes her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Grant, celebrated her 91st birthday Saturday and was showered with beautiful gifts by her numerous friends and relatives. Her son, J. T. Balzar, Mrs. Balzar, their daughter and grand daughter, Mrs. Robert Gatlin and Mayd Balzar of Texas motored over from New Orleans to spend the day, and the Biloxi children, grand children and great grandchildren, all called during the day. No set hours for receiving were observed, but a succession of callers were in all day long to present their love and felicitations to this remarkable and much loved woman.

STOPPING THE PAPER

A few days ago, a subscriber, who is a well-known citizen, came to our office and stopped this paper, for the reason, he said, that it did not just suit his fancy. We have since met him on the street, and it is amusing to note the look of surprise on his face that we are still in existence, despite the fact that he "stopped" his paper. "Some day—and it won't be long, either—that man will be no more. His heart will be still forever. Neighbors and friends will carry his lifeless clay to the silent city, and lay him to rest among the flowers. An obituary will be published in these columns telling what a good neighbor and beloved citizen he was (which we hope the recording angel will overlook for charity's sake)—and in a short time he will be forgotten. As he lies out there in a cold, cold ground, wrapped in the silent slumber of death, he will never know that the last kind word spoken of him was by the editor of the paper which he so "spitefully" stopped. Did you ever pause for a moment and think that your editor, whoever he may be, will write your obituary some day?—Exchange.

WHY IS IT? One of the peculiarities of our business situation is that business gets slack just when money gets tight.—Altoona Mirror.



"When I was a child, if I did not feel well, or if I had a cold, my mother gave me Black Draught," says Mrs. Orpha Hill of Wilford, Ky. "When I was married, it became a family medicine in my own home, as it was in my mother's."

"I take it for headache and especially for constipation. When I take it, my bowels get yellow and I have a very bad taste in my mouth, and a drowsy feeling all during the day. My eyes burn and I get dizzy, or my head is swimming. When I take Black Draught, it seems to drive the impurities out of my system and I feel and am, seldom without this much-needed remedy."

THOMPSON'S
Black Draught

STATE HIGH COURT RULE ON DRY CASE

No Crime To Take Drink, Is Ruling Nor Does It Constitute Possession

It is not a violation of the law to take a drink of liquor, nor does it constitute possession within the meaning of the law, the Mississippi supreme court held Monday in deciding a case from Newton county styled Barney Slaughter versus the State.

The decision was rendered by Judge Virgil Griffith, member of Division B. No discussion of the case was made in the opinion, other than the statement of facts and the reiteration of the doctrine set down in several previous Mississippi cases, cited by Judge Griffith, that drinking without proof of possession or proof of the character of the liquor being drunk does not constitute a violation of the law.

The decision reversed a conviction of Appellant Stribling because "the most that the competent testimony shows against him is that he was present in Slaughter's home, when some drinks from one of the jugs were being taken." Convictions of Appellants Nicholson, Day and Slaughter were affirmed.

Ten-year sentences given James Lamar Thompson and his son, Jim Thompson, Copiah county, for alleged assault and battery with intent to kill and murder on Vardaman Greer, were affirmed by the high court.

Greer, who had married Thompson's daughter, was en route from Delhi, La., to his home near Crystal Springs, when near Vicksburg, he alleges, the Thompsons attacked him. He was later found on the roadside.

DOWN-AND OUT

Judge: It will go hard with you this time, Sambo; you look as if you have been drinking again."

Sambo: Yes, sah, Judge, dat-sho-am pow-ful stuff Ah had. It was dat dere chicken hooch."

"Chicken! hooch! Why, I have never heard of that before."

"Yes, sah, Judge, chicken hooch. One drink and, you lay."—Kreolite News.

ABANDONED CAR IS FOUND IN GULFPORT

Tires and Seats Stripped From Deserted Automobile Bearing Bay St. Louis Name Plate.

An abandoned car from which the tires and seats had been stripped was found this week by Officer E. B. Kemp on Thirty-third avenue near Twenty-eighth street.

The car contained a Bay St. Louis name plate and the license No. 79, 221 which was said to have been issued to William Locke of Bay St. Louis.

STATE DELEGATES PLAN ATTENDANCE AT B. P. W. SESSION

The South Central region of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs will hold its biennial conference at Hot Springs, Ark., October 17, 18, 19.

While Mississippi is not included in this region the members of all the B. P. W. Clubs in the state have been invited to attend. Among those planning to be present at the session are Miss Vivian Cook, Hattiesburg, state president; Miss Earline White, Jackson, national recording secretary, and a good number of members of the 16 clubs in the state.

GASOLINE LAW NOW ENFORCED

Motorists Protected By Inspection and Examination of Fuel

Enforcement of Mississippi's new gasoline inspection law, enacted at the 1930 session of the legislature for the protection of motorists in respect to quality and measurement of petroleum products, is proceeding in a normal manner, according to J. C. Holton, commissioner of agriculture.

The law provides for two grades of gasoline: U. S. Government motor gasoline, which must meet specifications required by the United States Bureau of Mines and Special Gasoline, which may vary slightly from the first named grade, and which is generally accepted as a lower grade of gasoline. Stations are required to post signs signifying the grade of gasoline sold, and each pump must carry a label serving the same purpose. In addition, pumps and other measuring or weighing devices must be accurate.

Equipment Inspected. The law being entirely new and requiring specific cooperation on the part of the station operators, the first step in its enforcement was in

INDEBTEDNESS IS REDUCED AS HUB CITY PAYS BONDS

Last of Issue Floated in 1910 To Finance State Teachers College Paid Last Week

Eighty-nine thousand dollars was last week clipped from the municipal debt of Hattiesburg. The bonds retired by the payment are the last of the \$150,000 issue floated in 1910 as the city's portion in financing the State Normal College, now State Teachers College. The other \$61,000 of this issue was retired some time ago.

During May of next year the city also will retire \$40,000 in general bonds, issued 20 years ago. A portion of this amount already is in hand and the balance will be taken from the 1930 taxes.

Outstanding bonds of the city total \$2,700,000, including the college bonds retired this week.

THE SHAH'S CHAUFFER. The shah of Persia owns a gold-plated, diamond encrusted motor car of American make. We presume if the chauffer ever lets a fender get bent they'll chop off his head.—Florida Times-Union.

the nature of an educational campaign, during which inspectors of the department of agriculture personally called upon 6000 stations, left a copy of the law with each and explained its requirements. The second step, that of checking upon measurement, was inaugurated immediately upon receipt of approved testing instruments and devices from the United States Bureau of Standards. In this connection measuring devices, including gasoline pumps, are exactly tested; if such devices are accurate, a small green label so stating is pasted thereon; if inaccurate, whether yielding too much or too little, the device is condemned, a red tag is affixed to so inform the public, and the station operator is given ten days in which to make repairs.

Samples for Test. The third step in the enforcement program is now under way. Feed and fertilizer inspectors are required by law to collect samples of gasoline in addition to their other duties; such samples being sent to the state chemist to determine whether they conform to the guarantee of the manufacturer or distributor and signs posted by the stations.

GRASS

By JOHN JAMES INGALLS (1833-1900)

GRASS IS THE forgiveness of nature—her constant benediction. Fields trampled with battle, saturated with blood, torn with the ruts of the cannon, grow green again with grass; and carnage is forgotten. Forests decay, harvests perish, flowers vanish, but grass is immortal. Beleaguered by the sullen hosts of winter, it withdraws into the impregnable fortresses of its subterranean vitality and emerges upon the first solicitation of spring. Sown by the winds, by the wandering birds, propagated by the subtle agriculture of the elements which are its ministers and servants, it softens the rude outline of the world. And when the fitful fever is ended and the foolish wrangle of market and forum is closed, it gently comes and heals over the scar which our descent has made into the earth.

It bears no blazonry of bloom to charm the senses with fragrance or splendor, but its homely hue is more enchanting than the lily or the rose. It yields no fruit in earth or air, and yet, should its harvest fail for a single year, famine would depopulate the world.

WINTER'S ON THE WAY

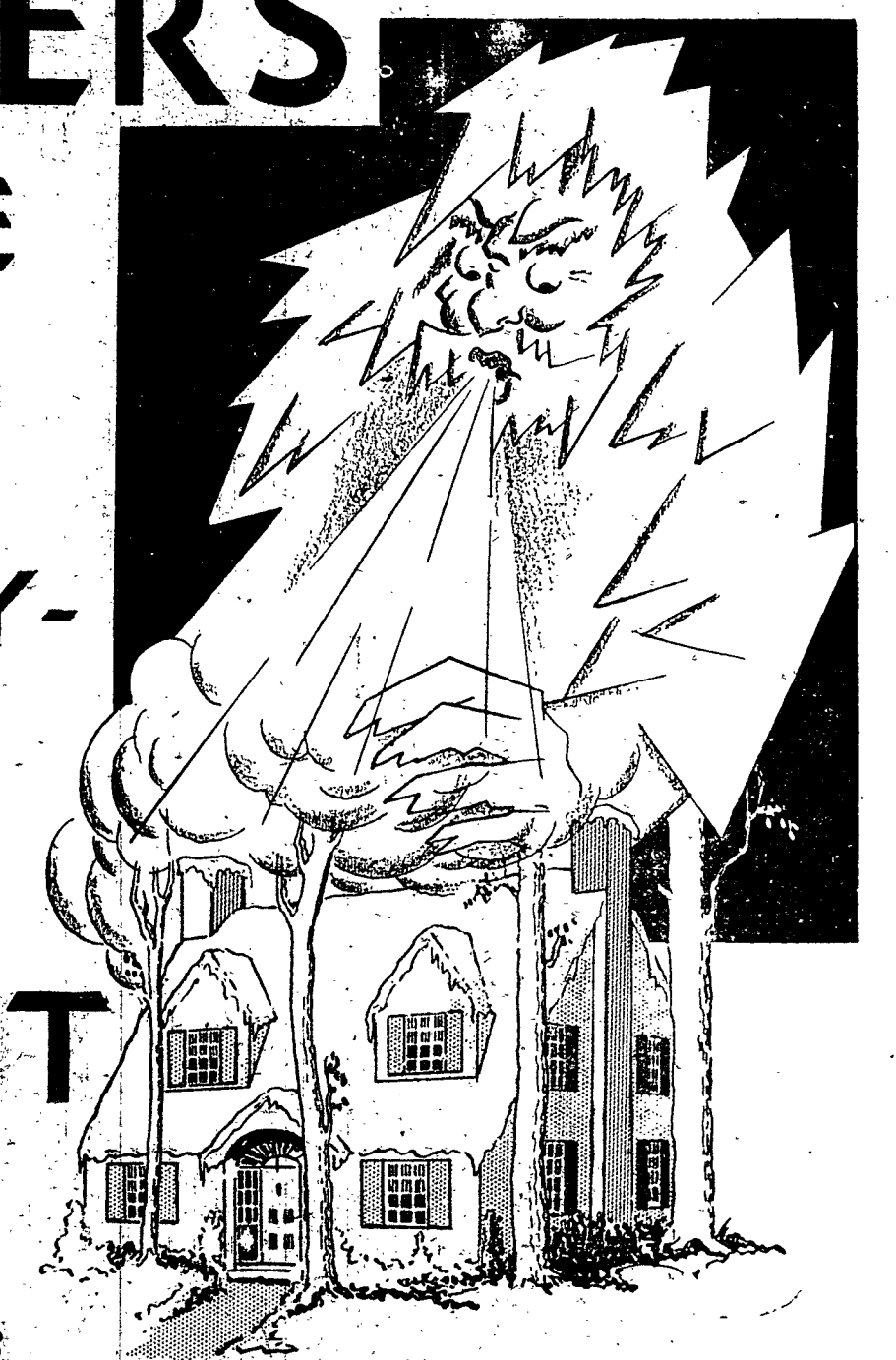
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